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Dear General Walters:

I just read your article in <u>Studies in Intelligence</u> on General de Gaulle's position on the 1960 Summit Conference. As you may recall from our previous discussions, I have always been very much interested in the de Gaulle period of French history. Therefore, I would like to express my appreciation for your willingness to put down your own recollection of a de Gaulle vignette and in particular de Gaulle's rationale for force de dissuasion. I am sorry that this is not in the unclassified literature. I very much enjoyed reading it.

